

BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

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Docket No. MC98-1

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO REQUEST LODGED DURING ORAL CROSS-EXAMINATION OF WITNESS GARVEY (November 25, 1998)

During hearings on November 20, 1998, the Postal Service undertook a "homework" assignment by indicating it would provide the criteria by means of which potential bidders on Mailing Online print contracts become prequalified.

The attached page summarizes the requested information and indicates it is being filed as USPS-LR-25/MC98-1.



Respectfully submitted,

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Counsel for MASA inquired as to the criteria used to pre-qualify printers who expressed interest in bidding on the Mailing Online print contracts, and witness Garvey indicated that the information could be provided. Tr. 7/1683-84.

RESPONSE:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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